Map

Port Loring

Small community 250 mi N of Toronto
geographically isolated
until very recently -

Cut-over land which is grown back to forest
Cleared areas -
gravel roads - all secondary roads
past cleared field, split rail fence
past forests, lakes, marshes
Air photos - general landscape, farm
Farms - cattle, hay
Split rail fences -
granite, well digging
gravel pits -
Forests - saw mills
Trapping - signs of beaver, herons
trap shack . ATV
Tourists -
Fishing
Canoeing
motor boating
cabins
Dams - to maintain water level
Hunting - game birds, mammals
Skiing
Getting lost - air photos, plane -
forest water rocks

CAMP BLUE HERON

SLIDES 1-5	The Port Loring area: Granite outcrops and black spruce trees, small pastures enclosed by rail fences, gravel roads, and lakes visible in almost any direction.
6-7	Air photos showing the area in general and the camp property specifically
8-9	Dormitory buildings: each dorm accommodates 10 campers and one or two counsellors.
10	Lodge: center of camp life - living room, dining, kitchen
11	Typical camp group
12-16	Science program involves Exploring, Collecting, Examining and Discussing.
17-22	Bird Banding for the Canadian Wildlife Service
23-28	Waterfront activities include swimming, fishing - and bathing!
29-33	Instruction and practice in all aspects of canoeing
34-45	Canoe Tripping program: packing, portaging, making camp, cooking, eating etc.
	EXCURSIONS AWAY FROM MAIN CAMP
46-50	Dam on the Pickeral River: new habitats to explore
51-52	Sawmill in Port Loring: familiarity with the local scene
53	Climbing the fire tower at the Ministry of Natural Resources
54-56	Caribou Lake and a fabulous feldspar outcrop.
	CAMP PHILOSOPHY
	I Appreciation and Understanding
57-60	habitats - fields, forests, marshes + rivers
61-66	ecology - who (or what) lives where - and why
67-69	learning to look closely and observe
	II Learning new skills
70-71	rock climbing, making candles
	III Learning to work together
72-73	volleyball, canoe relay
	IV Time for individual interests
74-75	bird blind, painting project
	V Time for being alone
76-77	boy daydreaming, girl with racoon
78	VI Time for making friends
79	VII Time to reflect and Enjoy